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In Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, dated May 3, 2001, Applicant submits herewith:

A Declaration executed by the inventor;

Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status;

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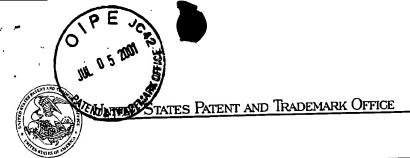
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